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The Draft.

Every precaution has been taken to take place tomorrow, absolutely fair and equitable. Each registrant has been given a number, each of the 4,557 exemption districts in the United States having its own series of numbers. The of Washington to determine the order in which the registrants will be called for examination. One thousand numbers will be drawn one by one from a glass receptacle by a blindfolded man, and each number thus drawn will represent ten numbers actually summoned by an ingenious and simple mathematical arrangement. Every one of those ten numbers will apply to each of the 4.557 exemption districts, so far as the number of registrants in the districts extends. Thus in the District of Columbia every time the blindfolded man takes a number from the bowl as many as 44 local registrants may be summoned for the first examination, 4 from each of the 11 exemption districts. Some of the master numbers taken from the bowl may call for only 1 from the smallest local district.

In all, Washington-the District of Columbia-must furnish 929 men on the first draft. The exemption board will summon twice as many men for the first examination, or 1,858. These 1,858 men out of the 32,372 men registered in this jurisdiction will report as soon as they can be summoned by mail to be examined physically and with respect to their civil, industrial and social status. If they have claims for exemption they must then present them. If the number exempted exhausts the draft before the quota is completed more registrants will be summoned, in the order of the drawing, until the quota is complete.

The drawing of numbers will give every registrant in the United States a place in the roll. Out of the ten million registered 687,000 soldiers are to be selected, and the examination of the registrants for this service will take place in the order in which the numbers are drawn. Thus Washington will have, after the first summoning, 30,514 men in and assigned to places in line.

moned in the first 1,858, from whom the extra edition immediately upon the ness. completion of the drawing up to that the senate has a new cloture rule. point. It is important that every regiswhether or not he is in the first draft of those from whom the local quota is to be selected.

Settle the Shipping Row!

The controversy over the shipping program has reached the stage at which drastic action is necessary by the highest authority. An intolerable situation exists by reason of a deadlock between the head of the shipping board and the head of the shipbuilding corporation organized under that board to create a of the discussion. Certainly the issue as to wooden ships or steel ships is adfustable. The delays incident to a fail. bre to agree upon a program are dangerous, menacing the very national life by contributing in effect to the success of the German assaults on the sea upon the shipping of the allied powers.

If these two men cannot work in harmony one or the other should be re moved from office, or both. It matters not what they have accomplished in the past. The present duty of this government is to create a merchant fleet in the shortest possible time, and every day that is lost because of a quarrel over methods or the terms of contracts is a contribution to the enemy. This has been going on for many weeks, and the country has become impatient to the point of demanding a speedy settlement, whoever may be sacrificed.

"The army of the unemployed" is an obsolete phrase. There are not enough slackers to make recruits for such an assemblage worth mentioning.

Fusion Versus Tammany

The announcement that Mayor Mitchel ing taken into custody on a charge of will accept renomination at the hards having attempted to spread lockjaw of fusion forces will fix attention throughout that state through the dis strongly on the New York situation, tribution of germ-infected courtplaster. which is complicated, and growing in These men traveled through the farmnational interest. Tammany's man is ing districts and first sought to sell and as yet unindicated. But that he must then gave away their packets of plaster. represent in point of character, ability Their actions attracted suspicion to and personal popularity the best the or- them, and they were taken in custody ganization can command is plain.

It is plain, for several reasons. Mayor Mitchel has given the town a good ad- ernment service, all of whom have reministration. While he has made some ported that the material contained baemies, he has made many friends. His cilli of tetanus. candidacy, it is believed, will have the A more fiendish maneuver could not sympathy and support of the national be conceived. It is impossible to beof him. It is urged that, at this time ly as individuals. It is not easy to get

main under the control of the best ele- some secret central source these deadly nent of its population. Our fighting packets of courtplaster must have been part of the war will be performed in sent and other agents may be distribut-Europe; and we shall communicate with ing them in other states. As a measure the scene of action frequently through of precaution the word should be sent that port.

s holding conferences with his lieutenants oftener than usual. He is taking his bearings with extreme care. Several failures have greatly disturbed him That of Govs. Dix and Sulzer in office; that of Gov. Glynn to retain the office fortune had thrown to him; that of Mc-Call, who was defeated for mayor by Mitchel, and that of the organization in last year's presidential campaign, may be cited. This time, if possible, Mr. Murphy wants to get off on the right. foot, marching behind a candidate without serious flaw and whom he can trust

The fusionists are claiming recruits from Tammany-men once prominent in the organization, but now convinced of its unworthiness and desirous of assist make the draft, which will probably ing in its overthrow. They especially condemn Tammany's flunk last year But such men are not likely to lead the fusion forces. To pitch the fusion campaign in the key of political revenge, and put it in charge of men educated by drawing will take place here in the city Tammany and long its servants to command, would rob it of its strongest appeal to the best citizenship and purposes of that community.

Tammany is pretty bad; but its services are always solicited in presidential campaigns; and whatever of value it achieves is thankfully received. Tammany's returns, when sufficiently large, are never examined for fraud, or rejected on any account.

Unpatriotic Delays.

Opposition to the aviation bill in the Senate on the ground that it involves the principle of draft is in effect opposition to the successful prosecution of the war by this country. For Congress has already settled the question of the draft, and it has been put into operation. To raise the question again, to insist upon debate on this point in connection with a bill that is merely a the sinkings have been below the averdetail of war making is to throw ob. age. No specific cause for this falling stacles in the way of the war preparations without real justification.

Those who oppose the draft have had their day of discussion, their chance to effective. affect the result and to determine the policy of the government. They have failed and Congress has voted by a large majority in favor of the draft principle. If every time a war measure is advanced this same subject is to be revamped and discussed extensively the country will look upon those who persist in their opposition after decision as seeking opportunities to embarrass the United States in its war work.

Legitimate debate need not be protracted. The subject of the draft has been thrashed over and over. There was as much opposition to the draft principle in the House when the national army bill was started on its legislative course as there was in the Senate, and reserve to fill the quota, all numbered yet the other day the House passed the aviation measure almost immediately The Star will promptly inform the upon report, virtually without debate public of the numbers of those sum- and in a spirit of advancing the government's war preparations with the quota of 929 will be selected, issuing an least delay and the greatest effective-

trant in the District have his number by can speak one hour after cloture is aptomorrow morning, so that when The plied. It is a liberal rule, too liberal, appears he may know quickly in fact, in view of the disposition of Chinese affairs. certain members of that body to exhaust the time with futile repetitions of familiar arguments on subjects already decided. At this moment the Senate is debating the food control bill far bevond the merits of the question. Nearly two weeks have been wasted in virtually pointless discussion. The Senate was doing so. ready to vote on this matter at least ten days ago, but for some reason that passes understanding set the date for a ballot for July 21. Now a small group of members holds up a bill that is recognized as one of the primary essentials fleet of merchantmen. The Star does of the American war program. Every not venture a judgment as to the merits man who participates in these delaying tactics incurs the liability of accusation of unpatriotic motives.

> Mosquitoes have delayed work on can tonments in Long Island. The mosquito is not the first pest to volunteer indirect encouragement to German in-

The official who demands that Amerians get more efficiency out of coal should speak to the janitor of the average apartment house next winter.

Reports of wholesale waste under present processes of distribution emphasize the need of scientific food con-

There are times when communities insist that a census shall not be too liberal in estimates of population.

Fiendish Work in Kansas.

A diabolically wicked plot to spread death among the American people is indicated by arrests that have been made at Kansas City, Kan., five Germans beand the plaster examined by four different chemists, one of them in the gov-

administration. The President is fond lieve that these men were working solein particular, the metropolis and prin- lockjaw germs. Bacteriological labora- An' the laughin' an' the singin' cipal seaport of the country should re- tories are not open to the public. From Will be with it, come what may.

broadcast throughout the country warn-Tammany professes confidence, but ing everybody to beware of purchasing here are signs of anxiety. Mr. Murphy this material from peddlers and urging dealers to be careful of the sources of

their supplies. There is nothing beyond credence in the charge that these men are operating in the German interest. Germany has earned the reputation for diabolism in warfare that justifies the accusation that her emissaries seek now to cause the death of Americans in a most ter rible form. The inventor and user of poison gas would not hesitate to spread poisoned courtplaster among an enemy people, and the perpetrator of the outrages in Belgium, Poland and France is quite capable of wholesale murder through deadly disease germs.

The Submarine Campaign.

It is to be doubted if the German government is publishing the reports of submarine sinkings week by week as the British admiralty has been doing since the campaign of ruthlessness began. For such tables as those that are now presented weekly would cause a decided slump in confidence among the German people respecting the efficacy of the U-boat. The intensive submarine campaign, which was to have brought England to her knees in four weeks, has now been in progress nearly six months. So far from being exhausted English shipping is now showing a weekly activity that cannot be regarded as in dicating collapse. Last week 2,828 vessels arrived at British ports and 2,920 wessels sailed. Fourteen ships over 1,600 tons each were sunk and 4 ships under that tonnage, as against 14 over and 3 under the week previous. This is one of the lowest weeks in point of losses in five months. The average since the week ending March 4 has been 27.65 merchant ships sunk weekly, and of these an average of 19.95 have been over 1.600 tons. For the past three weeks off is known. The assumption is always plausible that the campaign against the submarine is becoming more and more

Many a German soldier in the trenches would have resigned long since if he had enjoyed the imperial chancellor's opportunity.

There would be some satisfaction if a separate peace could be arranged between Gen. Goethals and Chairman Den-

United States convoys continue to sink U-boats. The demonstration is not to be limited to a Fourth of July event.

Some of those dinnerless suff-husbands may be tempted to parade placards demanding recognition of their rights.

The systematic progress of the draft constitutes another reminder to Germany that America is not bluffing.

Work on Zeppelins is to be stopped. Women and children in England will be glad to learn of this.

The Manchu dynasty continues to represent the spirit of the pelitical boss in

The suffragettes made the situation difficult for a chivalrously inclined police judge.

Russian citizens refused to talk peace with Berlin. German citizens insist on

SHOOTING STARS.

BY PHILANDER JOHNSON

Matter of Custom. "Those Dashton girls use a lot of slang."

"Yes. After you have associated with them awhile, ordinary grammatical speech sounds like a dialect."

Food. Old Mother Hubbard, she went to the

cupboard; There wasn't a bone on the shelf. Poor doggie she chided as this she con fided:

"If I found one, I'd gnaw it myself."

Drawing the Line. "A girl should be educated to do things for herself."

"Yes," answered Mr. Cumrox "Only sometimes I wish Gladys wouldn't insist on doing her own singing and piano playing."

A True Optimist. "Terribly rainy weather."

"Yes. It's a relief to my mind. It rains so regularly that I never forget my umbrella any more."

Civic Obligation. "Would you advise a young man to go into politics ?"

"Certainly," replied Senator Sorghum "as a moral duty, but not as a profes-

A Certainty. The robin trills so gayly, An' the catbird carols free; You are sure to find them daily Where the breeze sweeps through the

In spite of all the sorrow An' in spite of all the tears. The songs they'll sing tomorrow That they've sung for countless years.

The dandelion's laughing, As he always did of yore; The crickets, lightly chaffing, Tell of better luck in store. Oh, this old world keeps a-swingin' On its vast, mysterious way,

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and hemstitched styles.

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Lingerie Blouses, lace-trimmed styles with large collars and long

sieeves.

\$3.95 each—were up to \$5.75.

\$2.95 each—were up to \$3.95.

Handkerchief Linen Blouses, with colored collar and cuffs; all sizes in

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Special price, 75c pair. White Silk Gloves, 16-button length; all sizes.

Special price, 85c pair. Boys' Department.

A small lot of Boys' Wash Suits

broken sizes of styles and qualities that have been selling from
\$2.25 to \$3.50.

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A small number of pairs Boys'
Khaki Knickerbockers—broken
sizes.

Reduced to 60c pair.

6 Boys' Raincoats; tan shade; sizes 6, 12, 14, 16 and 18.

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14 Boys' Two-piece Bathing Suits, blue and white and blue and red color combinations.

95c each; were \$1.50.

20 Boys' Golf Caps, blue serge and mixtures.

Reduced to 25c each.

Third foor, Eleventh street.

Friday Sale of Women's Silk Hose. Special price, 85c pair.

Slight imperfections in weave reduces the price of these hose from \$1.10, at which they regularly sell, to 85c pair. They are of good weight silk with lisle thread soles and garter tops. Shown in a desirable assortment of colors. 35 dozen pairs in the lot.

And the following:
21 pairs Women's Fine Black Gauze—Lisle
Thread Hose, double soles and high spliced
heels; size 9. 37½c pair; were 60c.
17 pairs Women's Black Silk Lisle Hose,
medium weight, double soles and high
spliced heels; sizes 8, 9 and 9½; slightly
imperfect in weave. Special price, 37½c
nair.

Men's Clothing Dept. 38 Suits—men's and young men's models, in light and dark gray wool materials, plain patterns and fancy weaves—a good choice; each suit from our own stock and reduced only because of incompleteness of assortment or broken sizes. 34, 36 and 38 regular sizes; 37, 38 and 42

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\$3.75 pair. Were \$5.00 and \$6.00. Main floor, Tenth street.

Misses' Department. 5 Misses' New Spring Suits, plain tailored and belted styles, of serge, gabardine, jersey cloth and checked worsteds; sizes 14, 16 and 18 years. \$10.00 each; were \$25 and \$29.50. 2 White Net Dresses, trimmed with white satin ribbon; size 16. \$19.75 each; were \$29.50.

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Fancy Fruit Basket, 35c; was 55c. Tray Basket, 10c; was 30c. Sweet Grass Basket, 85c; was \$1.25. Cut Flower Baskets, \$1.00 each; were \$1.75. 3 Cut Flower Baskets, 75c each; were

3 Cut Flower Baskets, 75c each; were \$1.25.
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2 Domestic Pottery Ash Trays, 35c each;
were \$1.00.

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imperfect. 35c; was \$1.00.

25 Mahogany-finish Ash Trays, glass inset. 25c each; were 50c.

2 English Porcelain Covered Dishes. 85c
each; were \$2.00.

2 Imported Decorated Fruit Comports. 50c
each; were \$1.50.

1 Imported Decorated China Whipped
Cream Bowl, 3-plece set. 35c; was \$1.00.

1 Richly Decorated Imported China
Celery Tray. 85c; was \$1.75.

1 Decorated Pottery Fern Dish, with lining, alightly imperfect. 50c; was \$1.50.

1 American Art Pottery Jardiniere, 14inch size; slightly imperfect. \$3.50; was
\$5.50. inch size; slightly imperfect. \$5.50; was \$5.50.

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Third floor, F street.

Main floor, F street.

1 Green La Jerz Slik Sport Coat, with collar, cuffs, tie and sash of gold; size 38, \$18.75; was \$35.00.

4 Wool Poplin Coats, three-quarter length, box plaited and large pockets; mustard color, sizes 38 and 38; navy, size 40; black, size 38, \$15.00 each; were \$29.50.

1 Tan and Purple Striped Novelty Pongee Sport Coat, with large collar and cuffs and patch pockets; size 38, \$15.00; was \$22.50.

1 Holland Blue Wool Jersey Coat, three-\$22.50. I Holland Blue Wool Jersey Coat, three-quarter length, with large rolling collar and the of white; size 38. \$25.00; was \$45.90.

FERM Infants' Department.

2 Children's Straw Hats, tan and white, ribbon trimmed. \$1.50 each; were \$4.50. 2 Children's Straw Hats, pink hemp, trimmed with black velvet and pink roses; Copenhagen blue, trimmed with silk to match; \$2.00 each; were \$4.75. 2 Children's Serge Coats, red and navy blue. \$3.00 each; were \$6.75. 3 Children's Copenhagen Blue Sweaters, turn-over collar and cuffs. \$1.00 each; were \$1.50. 3 Children's White Crepe Kimonos, with dainty pink and blue flowers and lace edge. The each; were \$1.25. Third floor, F street.

"WEAR-EVER" ALUMINUM SAUCEPANS,

Priced Tomorrow at 38c and 95c each.

"Wear-Ever" Aluminum Utensils are made of hard aluminum, without joints, seams or solder-heat evenly and quickly, requiring less heat for cooking than many other wares; cannot rust. It is practically indestructible.

123 1-quart size Flat-lipped "Wear-Ever" Saucepans.

38c each—now selling regularly at 60c. 100 2-quart Covered "Wear-Ever" Straight Saucepans. 95c each—now selling regularly at \$1.18.

FOLDING STEPLADDERS REDUCED. These Ladders are made of well seasoned lumber, smoothly finished, so that they will not injure your clothes in handling them; each step braced; folding shelf for holding bucket or what-

ever you may be using. Today they are worth a good deal more than the original price 30 7-ft. Ladders, \$1.05 each-were \$1.75. 30 8-ft. Ladders, \$1.20 each-were \$2.00. SMALL ALCOHOL STOVES REDUCED.

The compact styles so desirable for taking away on trips and for camping and picnics, also useful in one's own room-for the woman to heat irons, hair curlers, etc., and for the man to heat water for shaving.

36 Alcohol Stoves, with egg boiler and 1-quart saucepan.

50c each; were 85c. 18 Alcohol Traveling Stoves-fold into very small size. 65c each—were \$1.00. Small lots of Alcohol Stoves at 25c and 50c each; were 35c,

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For Next Winter's Use.

At 3 o'clock Friday afters

At 3 o'clock Friday afternoon—
Drying:
Soup Mixture Vegetables—
Okra, Beans,
Corn. Carrots, Turnips.
Dried Vegetables will be prepared and served to the audience that they may test their flavor and quality.

and quality.

Housekeepers are invited.
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Men and children are invited.
Auditorium—Eighth floor—New Building.

Friday Clearance of

\$14.75 each.

Just 17 of these suits to close out.

tailored and belted styles, in

tweed, wool jersey, serge and gabardine, and the colors are black, brown, green and white and black and white mixtures.

Sizes 34 to 42. Were \$25.00 and

6 Women's Suits of homespun, baronet cloth, gabardine and serge, belted and tal-lormade; tan and gray colors; sizes 36 to 44. \$10,00 each; were \$25.00 and \$39.50.

And the following:

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High-grade Woolen Suits; plain

Women's Suits,